

**REMARKS**

Applicant requests entry of the above amendment before examination, and before calculation of claim fees for the above-identified application. Claims 16, 19-20, 22-23, 26, and 29 have been canceled. Claims 1-15, 17-18, 21, 25, and 27-28 have amended to delete multiple dependencies and conform the claim language with US practices. Claims 1-15, 17-18, 21, 24-25, and 27-28

Respectfully submitted,

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